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APPLICANT: JOHANN WALTER GROND-2 (PCT)
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TITLE: METHOD AND STORAGE LOADING SYSTEM FOR LOADING AND
UNLOADING LOADS IN STORAGE

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Ass't. Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Preliminary to Examination, please amend the above-
identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, after the title, please insert:

CROSS REFERENCE TO RELATED APPLICATIONS

Applicant claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 of German
Application No. 198 57 886.5 filed December 15, 1998. Applicant
also claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120 of PCT/DE99/03990 filed
December 15, 1999. The international application under PCT
article 21(2) was not published in English.

Page 2, please cancel paragraph 1 and replace with new
paragraph as follows:

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